

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Original) A method of fastening comprising:
rotatably attaching a first mount bracket to a first assembly;
rotatably attaching a second mount bracket to a second assembly; and
rigidly attaching perpendicular arm portions of said first and said second mount brackets together such that said mount brackets retain rotational freedom around a rotation axis.
2. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein said step of attaching said first bracket to said first assembly comprises:
mating an assembly screw with an insert; and
tightening said assembly screw into said insert to attach said first mounting bracket to said first assembly.
3. (Original) The method of claim 2 wherein said assembly screw is a machine screw.
4. (Canceled)
5. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1 wherein said ~~attaching said first and said second mount brackets comprises:~~
~~rigidly attaching said first mount bracket and said second mount bracket wherein said attachment enables said first mount bracket and said second mount bracket to rotate together~~ about said rotation axis.
6. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:
spacing a portion of said first mount bracket rotatably attaching said first mount bracket to said first assembly apart from a portion of said second mount bracket rotatably attaching a second mount bracket to a second assembly apart.
7. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising:
manually grasping and positioning at least said first mount bracket ~~fastening system~~ using at least one ear of said first mount bracket.

8. (Original) A method of fastening comprising:
rotatably attaching a first mount bracket to a first assembly;
rotatably attaching a second mount bracket to a second assembly; and
connecting a perpendicular arm of said first mount bracket to a perpendicular arm of
said second bracket in at least two positions along a rotational axis.

9. (Original) The method of claim 8 wherein said connecting comprises
connecting the first mount bracket to the second mount bracket using a rigid attachment.

10. (Original) The method of claim 9 wherein said rigid attachment comprises a
machine screw.

11. (Original) The method of claim 9 wherein said first and second mount
brackets have a common axis of rotation about which said rigid attachment rotates.

12. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 8 wherein said connecting
comprises rigidly attaching said perpendicular ~~an arm portion~~ of said first bracket to said
perpendicular ~~an arm portion~~ of said second mount bracket.